AN ORDINANCE 100725

APPROVING AN EXTENSION OF LINE-OF-DUTY (LOD) LEAVE FOR FIREFIGHTER JESUS B. PEREZ, JR. FOR ACCRUED PERSONAL LEAVE BEGINNING OCTOBER 22, 2003, TO AUGUST 12, 2004, FOR AN ON-DUTY INJURY SUFFERED OCTOBER 21, 2002, TO RESTORE TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND TWENTY EIGHT (2,328) HOURS OR NINETY SEVEN (97) SHIFTS.

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WHEREAS, section 143.073 of the Texas Local Government Code provides that a firefighter injured in the line of duty is entitled to line-of-duty injury leave with full pay for a period commensurate with the injury and not to exceed one year; and

WHEREAS, section 143.073 also provides that a municipality's governing body may extend the line-of-duty injury leave beyond one year; and

WHEREAS, San Antonio Fire Department Firefighter Jesus B. Perez, Jr. injured his back in the line of duty on October 21, 2002; and

WHEREAS, Firefighter Perez was granted one year of line-of-duty injury leave in connection with the aforementioned back injury; and

WHEREAS, Firefighter Perez has requested an extension of line-of-duty injury leave that would restore 2,328 hours (97 shifts) of his personal leave for the period October 22, 2003, to August 12, 2004; NOW THEREFORE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. An extension beyond one year of Firefighter Jesus B. Perez, Jr.'s line-of-duty injury leave, for a back injury sustained on October 21, 2002, that would restore 2328 hours (97 shifts) of his personal leave for the period October 22, 2003, to August 12, 2004, is hereby approved.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect ten days from the date of passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 2/5t day of 4pm

EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM: Monday City Attorney